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REEVE RAYMER OPTIMISTIC AS TO FUTURE OF MIRROR

Reeve Raymer drove to Bashaw, on business, Friday last, returning to Mirror the same evening.

Mr. Raymer informs us that threshing operations, which for the past few days have, owing to inclement weather, been delayed, are once more proceeding, in the district through which he drove, but that only approximately 25 per cent. of the vast yield has been threshed. However, no difficulty is anticipated in handling the remainder of this year's record-breaking crop.

"During the course of my eleven-mile drive through this great grain-producing district," said the Reeve, in conversation with the "Journal" man, "I met and conversed with quite a number of farmers, and on every hand I found jubilation and entire satisfaction as to this year's grain yield."

"As a result of this drive through," as Mr. Raymer so aptly expresses it, "eleven miles of Prosperity and Optimism," I am more than ever convinced that the future of Mirror, as the distributing centre of a district unsurpassed in the west as a mixed farming and grain-producing country, is absolutely assured, and that, considering conditions in other localities at present, we have no complaint to make as to conditions here—present and future."

"What, in your opinion, will the average yield, per acre, be in this district?" questioned the Journal representative.

"Thirty bushels to the acre is, I believe, a very conservative estimate," replied Reeve Raymer, adding: "Is it any wonder those farmers are elated?"

EXCURSIONS TO EASTERN CANADA

The Grand Trunk Pacific are looking forward to a heavy passenger movement to Eastern Canada this fall. The abundant crop which the West is reaping at the present time should make it possible for their expectations to be realized.

The Grand Trunk Pacific has now another new route to offer this year for those who are going to Eastern Canada on their Christmas holidays, with through tourist and standard sleeping cars, via the Transcontinental line, "All Canadian route," in addition to being able to send passengers via St. Paul, Minneapolis, Duluth, Chicago and the Grand Trunk Railway system. Therefore, any person contemplating a trip would do well to consult Grand Trunk Pacific agents, as they are the only railway agents in Western Canada today in a position to ticket passengers over any line they may wish to travel.

Always alert as to the requirements of its patrons, it spares no opportunity in catering to the wants of the most exacting and will have for this

In the Imperial Hotel, Mirror possesses a hostelry that a town many times the size of this might well be proud of. In our travels throughout the West, we have yet to observe an hotel which surpasses the Imperial for table, sleeping facilities, service and, to our mind, most important of all, courteous treatment from the moment a guest enters the front door.

Fred. Estey, lumber inspector for the Mountain Mills Lumber Association of B. C., with headquarters at Calgary, arrived in the city Tuesday, on a business trip, and registered at the Imperial.

C. L. Suggett, our popular druggist, spent Monday in pursuit of the elusive partridge. He journeyed some eight miles down the lake and succeeded in bagging quite a number of birds. Mr. Suggett reports a fairly plentiful supply of partridge down the lake, and as the season has just recently opened, the birds are somewhat tame.

Threshers Busy

Threshing operations in this district have been held up intermittently during the past few weeks. The farmers who stacked their grain when they had the opportunity will reap the benefits of their labors, as the rain and snow, effect the grade of the grain in the stock, to some extent.

Threshing outfits, which have been and are now busy in the neighborhood are: Geo. Neis and Herb. Lunds; Philip Neis, Estell's, Simpson's, Jack's, Cook's, Bailey's and Hickling's.

The prospects for a stretch of favorable weather appears O. K. at writing and the threshers will take advantage of it to the limit.

New service electric lighted sleeping cars, both standard and tourist, with electric lights in both lower and upper berths. The road-bed is in keeping with the balance of the "Best New Railway Ever Constructed," coupled with the electric lighted equipment, are features in which the Grand Trunk Pacific excel and are well worth considering before starting on a journey.

The Paris Jubilee Singers, composed of Jack Paris V. Hogue, Miss Scott and Miss Melvin, who term themselves "The Chocolate Fun Makers," played to a fair-sized audience Monday night. After two hours of music, song and monologue, the main part of the entertainment being performed by Mr. Paris, who, as a comedian drew considerable well-merited applause, the company rendered music to which some fifteen couples tripped the light fantastic until the wee sma's hours.

A notable exception noticed at the show was the absolutely clean nature of every number rendered. A special effort was made to please the children and, to judge by the squeals of delight emanating from the juvenile section of the house, their efforts were appreciated by the youngsters.

LOCAL NEWS OF THE WEEK

J. W. Pringle left last Tuesday afternoon for Winnipeg, Man., on a ten days' trip.

R. L. Pretty, principal of Mirror school, is attending the Teachers' Convention at Stettin on Thursday and Friday of this week. Mr. Pretty is delivering an address on "Penmanship," a subject on which he is well able to discourse.

A. J. Frank, of Bashaw, paid a visit to Mirror last week.

Phone flowwelling for prices on grains in carload lots. Wires received every day.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith, of Biggar, Sask., have moved into the Hickman house. Mr. Smith is locomotive foreman at the G.T.P. roundhouse.

Mr. H. Sulton, who for the past year has been publishing the Mirror Journal, left Wednesday for Clive, where he assumes control of the Clive News Record. The Journal tenders Mr. Sulton its best wishes for success in his new venture. He is succeeded as publisher of this paper by M.M. Pettipiece, a newspaperman of Vancouver, B. C. (Note—Mr. Pettipiece has, since writing the above, left for other parts.—Ed.)

Telephone linemen have been engaged in repairing the system within the city limits the past week.

H. Greenwood, of Nelson, B. C., arrived in the city last week and is a guest at the Imperial.

The 1915 village and school tax notices were mailed on Friday, Oct. 1st. A 10 per cent. rebate on school taxes, providing the same are paid within 30 days from the 1st, should be taken advantage of by all rate payers.

Mrs. James Steele and sons, Hughie and Mack, of Edmonton, are visiting with Mrs. F. Tulloch. Miss Vera Steele will return home next Monday after a month's visit with the Tulloch family.

R. R. Mowberry, of Pickering, Ont., was a visitor in the city this week.

R. Beresford, E. Baen and W. Whiteman, who for the past fortnight have been engaged in changing the location of our telephone exchange, completed their work Tuesday and left for Dellburne.

E. D. Merrall, of Stockton, Cal., is registered at the Imperial. Mr. Merrall has accepted a situation with the G. T. P., as brakeman, with headquarters at Mirror.

The Ladies' Aid of the Methodist Church will meet at the home of Mrs. Dave Hutchinson's, instead of Mrs. Mat. Hutchinson's, on Thursday afternoon, Oct. 14th.

Next Monday, the 11th, is Thanksgiving Day and a public holiday.

R. Paton, G. T. P. brakeman, received a wire on Thursday last that his brother was seriously ill at Italy River, Ont., and left the same day to visit him.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Panacker and daughters, of Aliv, were transient visitors in Mirror last Sunday.

A. E. McDonald, representing the Consolidated Novelty Co., Winnipeg, arrived in Mirror on Monday, leaving for Stettin the following day. Mr. McDonald reports business in his line fairly brisk.

J. A. Yeomans, of Red Deer, paid Mirror a visit this week.

A. G. Holland left Wednesday morning of last week on a business trip to the Coast, arriving home on Tuesday of this week. He states that business in B. C. has taken a big slump within the past few months. In one case a loss of nearly 40 per cent. was reported. There are worse places than Alberta.

Miss Pringle arrived home last Saturday from a three months' enjoyable visit with relatives and friends at Belleville and Toronto, Ont.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Salton and children left on Tuesday last for Clive, Alta., where they will make their home.

Mr. Maxfield, of Wainwright, is filling the position of freight agent at the local G.T.P. office. Mrs. Maxfield arrived on Saturday. They have taken up their residence in the Velta cottage. A judicial sale of farm lands is advertised in this issue, at the Imperial hotel, Mirror, on Tuesday, the 26th day of October. The land in question is the S. W. 4, sec. 10, twp. 41, rge. 22, W. 4th mer. A. J. Frank, of Bashaw, will be the auctioneer.

Dr. Meyer and J. W. Pringle have bought the building known as the Mirror Cash Store. Alterations have been made to the interior, and the local exchange of the Alberta Government telephone system is located there. Miss Hilda Simpson is the operator.

Holy Communion will be observed in St. Monica's Church, Mirror, on Sunday morning next, at 11 o'clock.

Change in Names

The regular monthly meeting of the Village Council was held on Monday evening last. Present: Reeve Raymer and Councilors Daulton.

Accounts totalling \$121.70 were ordered paid.

A by-law to change the names of the avenues and miniature numbers was introduced and received its first and second reading.

The changes proposed are as follows:

Cook avenue to be	First avenue
Roune " "	Second " "
Gillman " "	Third " "
Carroll " "	Fourth " "
Frances " "	Fifth " "
Lois " "	Sixth " "
Wade " "	Seventh " "
Wilson " "	Eighth " "
Kenedy " "	Ninth " "
Edson " "	Tenth " "
Seward " "	Eleventh " "
Albert " "	Twelfth " "
Earl " "	Thirteenth " "
Watson " "	Fourteenth " "
Esther " "	Fifteenth " "

Northcliffe boulevard to be South boulevard.

Whitefriars' boulevard to be North boulevard.

"On the Field of Honor"

The publishers of the Family Herald and Weekly Star, Montreal, are making a strong bid for that beautiful picture, full of pathos, entitled "On the Field of Honor." It is assumed the publishers of the Family Herald have in mind using it as a presentation plate. If that is so there is a great treat in store for readers of the Family Herald and Weekly Star this autumn. In past years The Family Herald of Montreal has been noted not only for the wonderful excellence of that journal but for many beautiful pictures it has presented to its readers. The Family Herald has a name for succeeding in anything it undertakes, and we feel sure it is humanly possible to secure "On the Field of Honor" that the Field of Honor" that the publish-

INTERESTING PROVINCIAL NOTES OF THE WEEK

Dr. Brett, of Bonif, will be the next Lieutenant-Governor. It is not definitely known as yet when he will assume office.

The new Government elevator at Calgary is now ready for business.

The commercial travellers of Western Canada are sending a monster petition to the Dominion Government, asking that all public holidays be celebrated on Mondays, so that they may spend the holidays home with their families, instead of, as at present, killing time in some country hotel.

The Stampede held at Teasel last week was, despite the fact that so many of the farmers in the surrounding district were engaged in threshing operations, fairly successful. Results: Saddle bucking contest—1st, G. Gattie; 2nd, Guy Ellis. Bareback bucking—1st, G. Gattie; 2nd, Harsh; 3rd, H. Kennedy. Wild horse race—1st, H. Gattie; 2nd, Lee Leuderm; 3rd, Guy Ellis.

The contemplated change in schedule on the G. T. P. has been indefinitely postponed, the present timetable remaining as heretofore.

Norace G. Gellberg, a resident of Alex for a number of years, died on Friday last and was buried on Sunday by the I.O.O. F., of which order the deceased was a member.

The Vermilion tenth annual exhibition came to a close Wednesday. The attendance was large and the exhibition was in every way a success. The principle feature was the showing of horses and cattle.

The famous gun-making firm of Vickers & Maxims, England, are financing, at an estimated cost of one hundred thousand dollars, a marine expedition to prospect the district north of Edmonton for nickel deposits. Headed by H. V. Dardier, the expedition left Edmonton recently, to spend two and a-half years in the north.

The next convention of the U. F. A. will be held in Calgary January 18 to 21, inclusive.

Private Arthur Clark, of the Princess Patricia's, has been given a lieutenant's commission. Lieut. Clark is the son of Dr. Michael Clark, M. P. for Red Deer. He is one of the original force who have come through the campaign.

ers will succeed in getting it. "On the Field of Honor" is attracting widespread attention in Europe.



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The Benefits of The Agricultural Society

One of the prize-winning essays at the Alix Fall Fair.

There are a great many ways in which people are benefitted by Agricultural Fairs, not only in the winning of prizes, but also what they learn.

It has been said in many respects that it is a waste of time going to such fairs, but many people do not go for the good that is in it, but to criticise things which they have no business with.

If you were to listen carefully to the judge you would learn a great deal, for instance, when a judge is judging horses or cattle he will tell the faults of the animals, and how you could remedy them. Many things are learned from what the judges say.

The fair is also a benefit to the town and community you live in. It gives the lively barn trade, also the stores. Many of the farmers take this as their only holiday in a year. They may come into town once in a while but their families do not get in with them. There is a bad fault to every fair. There are a few men who come with certain kinds

of gums and make a great deal of money. They do not leave the money in the town, therefore it is not right for these men to come to the town at all.

Wesley Pate

Grain inspected at Winnipeg

Saturday, October 2

No. 1 hard	78
No. 1 northern	105
No. 2 northern	217
No. 3 northern	15
No. 4 northern	6
No. 5 northern	22
Straw	22
No grade	214
Rejected	40
Winter wheat	1

Oats 62. Barley 30—Flex 3—1814
Cars waiting on track for inspection 1500, same date last year 800

Dr. G. W. Meyer

M. D., C. M.

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Sittings of the District Court

Sittings of the District Court and of the District Judges' Criminal Court will be held within the Judicial District of Red Deer on the dates and at the places following during the year 1916:

Commencing:
Tuesday, February 22nd.
Tuesday, May 23d.
Tuesday, August 23rd.
Tuesday, October 31st.

Lacombe:
Wednesday, February 23rd.
Thursday, May 25th.
Wednesday, August 24th.
Wednesday, November 1st.

Pine Lake:
Tuesday, February 23rd.
Tuesday, May 23rd.
Tuesday, October 3rd.

Red Deer:
Tuesday, Feb. 15th.
Tuesday, April 18th.
Tuesday, June 13th.
Tuesday, October 17th.
Tuesday, December 5th.

Alix:
Thursday, March 2nd.
Thursday, June 1st.
Thursday, October 5th.
Tuesday, November 28th.
Dated at Edmonton, Alberta, this 28th day of September, 1915.

G. P. OWEN FENWICK,
Acting Deputy Attorney
General.

JUDICIAL SALE OF FARM LANDS NEAR MIRROR, ALTA.

Pursuant to Judgment and Final Order for Sale there will be offered for sale subject to the conditions and reservations expressed in the original Grant from the Crown, or in the existing Certificate of Title, with the approval of a Judge or Master of the Supreme Court of Alberta, Judicial District of Edmonton, by Arthur Jenner Frank, Auctioneer, at the Imperial Hotel at Mirror, Alberta, on Tuesday, the 20th day of October, 1915, at the hour of Two o'clock in the afternoon, the South West Quarter of Section 10, Township 41, Range 22, West of the 4th Meridian, in the Province of Alberta. Reserving thereout mines and minerals. The Vendee is informed that the land is situated about 3 miles from the nearest town, school and G. T. P. Depot at Mirror and there is a cattle loading siding on the said railway about one and a half miles from the land. The soil is a good black sand loam varying from 8 inches to 18 inches in depth with clay subsoil. About 45 acres have been cultivated. There is a frame dwelling 10 x 16, one and a half stories, with lean to 12 x 18 and a rough log stable 10 x 20. There are 2 wells but in need of repair. The land is all fenced with a three wire fence on the South and West and two wire fence on the East and North boundaries.

The sale is subject to a reserve bid which has been fixed by the Master. TERMS.—Ten per cent of the purchase money is to be paid at the time of sale and the balance is to be paid in a court within sixty days without interest to the credit of this action; or ten per cent, at the time of the sale, 15 per cent, within thirty days without interest, 30 per cent within six months with interest at 8 per cent, and the balance not exceeding \$800.00 by executing a Mortgage to the Plaintiff on the usual form of the Company for ten (10) years repayable in ten consecutive annual instalments with interest at 8 per cent, payable yearly, or repayable by instalments of \$50.00 annually, and the balance at the end of ten years.

In other respects the terms and conditions of sale will be the standing conditions of sale of the Supreme Court of Alberta as approved by the Master. For further particulars apply to Messrs. Emery, Newell, Ford, Bolton & Mount, Solicitors, Edmonton, Alta. (Sigs.) ALEX. TAYLOR, C.S.C. Dated this 23rd day of Sept., A.D. 1915. 48-3-p.

WOOD! WOOD!

I will deliver wood to any part of town at the following prices:

Dry, Sawed (double box)	\$2.75
Pole Length, Dry	3.00
Green, Pole Length	2.50

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Our "Want Ad" columns are steadily growing as people appreciate their value. They help me over many of life's difficulties. Have you tried anything you do not need, or need something you have not tried? So you want to land, borrow, buy, lease, or sell? A Want Ad will do the work.

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J. F. FLEWELLING, Mirror